

Department of Public Works

ROOM 24, MEMORIAL BUILDING * ATHOL, MASSACHUSETTS 01331



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Rate & Fee Schedule

Effective August 1, 2021

Rates

General Water Rate	\$4.82 / 100 cubic feet
Wholesale Water Rate (<i>eff. September 1, 2021</i>)	\$5.54 / 100 cubic feet
General Sewer Rate	\$7.71 / 100 cubic Feet

(100 Cubic Feet = 748 Gallons)

Other Fees & Charges

Effective September 1, 2021

Minimum Service Fee	\$6.25 / Quarter (Residential)
Minimum Service Fee	\$2.08 / Month (Manufacturing/Commercial)
Turn On / Turn Off	\$50.00 Per Request
Hydrant Fee	\$50.00 /Day + Water Usage
Hydrant Flow Test	After Hours Labor Cost (2 Men) & Newspaper Ad
Annual Fire Line Fee	\$100 / Year (Billed Quarterly)
Frozen Meter	Replacement Meter Cost, Including Labor
Frozen Service Lines	Labor & Material Cost
Public Fire Protection	\$0.00 / Hydrant
Private Fire Protection	\$0.00 / Hydrant
Backflow Testing	\$50.00 / First/Single; \$35/ Multiple After First @ Same Location
After Hours Call In	Overtime Labor + Material Cost
Water System Impact Fees	\$2,000.00 / Inch of Service Size
Sewer System Impact Fees	\$2,000.00 / 4" Sewer Connection Minimum \$250.00 / Inch Additional for 6", 8", 10", 12"

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Final Meter Reading	\$50.00 / Request
Inspection Fees	\$50.00/ Hour
Plugged Sewers	Overtime Labor + Material Cost
Tapping Fees Water 1”	\$200 / Tap + Labor & Material Cost
Tapping Fees Sewer 4”	\$200 / Tap + Labor & Material Cost
Material	Supplier Cost
Out of Town Sewer Tipping Fee	\$0.15 / gallon

Water Use Restriction Violations

First Offense	Warning
Second Offense	\$50.00
Third Offense	\$100.00
Fourth and/or Subsequent Offenses	\$100.00 + Termination of Service
Unauthorized Use / Tampering	\$1,000.00 / Offense + Termination of Service